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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicant petitions that the period for response to file a Supplemental Response to a Final Office Action mailed April 8, 2003, be extended for two months to and including September 8, 2003. Please debit the \$205 extension fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(2) or any additional fees due from Deposit Acct. 07-1185.

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